## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF NEVADA

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ARMANDO NEVAREZ,

Case No. 3:16-cv-00676-MMD-CBC

Plaintiff.

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ISIDRO BACA et al.,

Defendants.

## I. DISCUSSION

This action is a *pro se* civil rights complaint filed pursuant to 42 J.S.C. § 1983 by an individual who was in the custody of the Nevada Department of Corrections at the time he initiated this case. At the time Plaintiff initiated this case, Plaintiff submitted an application to proceed *in forma pauperis* for prisoners. (ECF No. 3). In this Court's July 5, 2018 screening order, the Court deferred a decision on the application to proceed *in forma pauperis*. (ECF No. 10 at 6). The screening order also imposed a 90-day stay and the Court entered a subsequent order in which the parties were assigned to mediation by a court-appointed mediator. (ECF Nos. 10, 13). The parties did not settle at mediation. (ECF No. 32).

The Court now directs Plaintiff to file an application to proceed *in forma pauperis* by a non-prisoner within thirty (30) days from the date of this order or pay the full filing fee of \$400. After the Court determines the matter of the payment of the filing fee, the Court will issue an order on the matter of service.

## II. CONCLUSION

For the foregoing reasons, IT IS ORDERED that Plaintiff's application to proceed in forma pauperis for prisoners (ECF No. 3) is DENIED as moot.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court SHALL SEND Plaintiff the approved form application to proceed *in forma pauperis* by a non-prisoner, as well as the

document entitled information and instructions for filing an in forma pauperis application.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that within **thirty (30) days** from the date of this order, Plaintiff shall either: (1) file a fully complete application to proceed *in forma pauperis* for non-prisoners; or (2) pay the full filing fee of \$400.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that if Plaintiff does not timely compay with this order, the Court will dismiss this action with prejudice.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that upon the resolution of the matter of the filing fee this Court shall issue a subsequent order on the matter of service.

DATED THIS 3 day of May 2019.

JN/TED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE